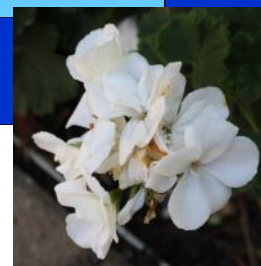


NEWS FROM THE PEWS



NEWS AND INSPIRATION FROM
ST. ANDREW'S UNITED CHURCH, GEORGETOWN, ON

Sunday August 12

Reader:

Alan Grundy

Greeters:

Gail Bancroft and
Margret VanderVoet

Ushers:

Luisse Zander and
Pat Moore

AV Operator:

Bryan Scott and
Bruce Munro

Counters:

Ross Yahiro and
Mike Sprague

Announcements:

Worship Leader

Next week,

Sunday August 19

Reader:

Florence Riehl

Greeters:

Paul and Alison
Annabelle

Ushers:

Nora McClure and
Jean Brown

AV Operator:

James Stringer

Counters:

Bruce Munro and
Ross Yahiro

Announcements:

Worship Leader

Service this week at St. Andrew's August 12, 2018

Theme: Summer Series: Miracles from the Book of John Week 6: Jesus Brings Sight to the Blind

This Sunday, we continue our
Summer Worship Series.

Come and join us!

Scripture Reading:

John 9:1-41

Meditation:

Jesus brings new sight!





SUMMERTIME IS HERE!
THANK YOU TO ALL THE
VOLUNTEERS!



Thank you to all the volunteers who have been or will be supplying the cool refreshments and cookies after worship this summer.

With the very hot and humid weather we have been experiencing, the refreshments are greatly appreciated!

Regular coffee and tea schedule will resume in September.

We appreciate your assistance!

Thank you,

The Membership and Hospitality Team

SUMMER MOVIE NIGHTS!!!



Come one Come all to our next Movie Night Adventure!!

This week's feature is "**Matilda**"

This film tells the story of Matilda Wormwood, a gifted girl forced to put up with a crude, distant father and mother. Worse, Agatha Trunchbull, the evil principal at Matilda's school, is a terrifyingly strict bully. However, when Matilda realizes she has the power of telekinesis, she begins to defend her friends from Trunchbull's wrath and fight back against her unkind parents.

Popcorn and drinks will be provided. We hope to see you all there **Sunday night @ 6:30**.

A schedule of upcoming movies has been posted on page 5 as well as the bulletin board and we hope to see you for future movie nights!





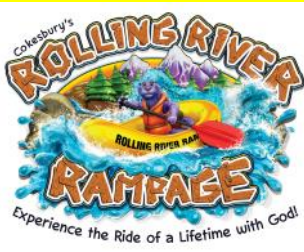
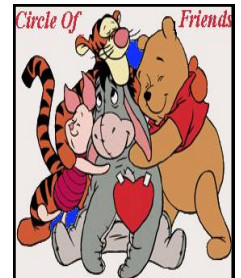
**BREAD BASKET SUNDAY -
THANK YOU TO EVERYONE WHO DONATED FOOD
FOR THE LOCAL FOOD BANK
LAST SUNDAY!**

Bread Basket Sunday is the **first Sunday of every month.**
Thank you for your continued support!

CIRCLE OF FRIENDS - Summer Meeting Tomorrow

There is a group of ladies that meet at the church (in the fellowship room) on the 2nd, 4th and 5th Fridays of the month **from 9:30 - 11:30 am.**

They usually stop for the summer, but have decided to hold a meeting tomorrow. Come and join them for fellowship and refreshments **tomorrow, Friday August 10th, 2018.**



******* VBC DONATIONS *******

DONATIONS TO HELP OFFSET THE COSTS OF VBC ARE GRATEFULLY ACCEPTED.

There is a tent ready to accept any donations located across from the office.

VBC Wrap up Meeting

There will be a VBC follow-up meeting after the service this Sunday, August 12th.



VBC Cookie Donations

Thank you to everyone that donated cookies. The children (and adults) thoroughly enjoyed them! The containers are on the table by the mail slots.

Ross and the snack team!

VBC Decorations and Props

Thank you to everyone that donated props for VBS. Please check in the Fellowship room or on the stage for the more bulky items.

St. Andrew's



1958-2018

60TH ANNIVERSARY ANNOUNCEMENTS

Important Dates:

Oct 21 - The Queensmen chorus in concert Sunday afternoon at St. Andrew's.

Nov. 24 - We are going back in time with a 50's themed party.

Nov 25 - Special Anniversary service and celebration.



SUMMER WORSHIP SERIES ON

MIRACLES FROM THE BOOK OF JOHN

July 8 - Week 1: **"Casting out Evil Spirits"**

- Rev. Sula Anne Kosacky

July 15 - Week 2: **"Jesus Heals an Official's son"**

- Rev. Grant Williams

July 22 - Week 3: **"Get up and Walk"** - Rev. Grant Williams

July 29 - Week 4 **"Casting Out Evil Spirits"** - Rev. Sula Anne Kosacky

August 5 - Week 5: **"Jesus Walking on Water"** - Rev. Grant Williams

August 12 - Week 6 **"Jesus Brings Sight to the Blind"** - Rev. Grant Williams

August 19 - Week 7: **"Jesus Raising Lazarus from the dead"** - Bri-Anne Swan

August 26 - Week 8 **"Second Miraculous Catch of Fish"** - Rev. Grant Williams

St. Andrew's United Church Presents
Summer Movie Nights



Come out and join us on Sunday's at 6:30 for a fun time to enjoy a movie. A great time to relax and enjoy a movie on your own, with a friend, or with the whole family. Popcorn and drinks will be provided.

SUNDAY, JUNE 10TH: National Treasure

SUNDAY, JUNE 17TH: Night at the Museum

SUNDAY JUNE 24TH: Cheaper by the Dozen

SUNDAY, JULY 1ST: NO Movie - Happy Canada Day!!

SUNDAY, JULY 8TH: A Wrinkle in Time

SUNDAY JULY 15TH: The Help

SUNDAY JULY 22ND: Hook

SUNDAY JULY 29TH: Oz: The Great and Powerful

SUNDAY, AUGUST 5TH: NO Movie - Happy Civic Holiday Weekend!

SUNDAY AUGUST 12TH: Matilda

SUNDAY AUGUST 19TH: Harry Potter and the Sorcerer's Stone

SUNDAY AUGUST 26TH: The Incredibles



ST. ANDREW'S BASEBALL TOURNAMENT

St. Andrew's Baseball Team - This week, we will be starting the end of the season Tournament playing on

Wednesday, August 15th at 7:00 PM

against **Huttonville United Church** at the **Conservation Red Diamond**.

The tournament continues on Saturday, August 18th at the Gellert Diamonds.

Everyone is welcome to come and cheer us on!

WANTED - AUDIO/VIDEO (A/V) OPERATORS

FOR SUNDAY AND SPECIAL SERVICES

We are looking for a few more people to help out with the A/V (Audio/Video) role in the Sunday Service and periodically special services (the people at the back!). It's an easy way for High School students to add to their volunteer hours. Training will be provided! If you can use a mouse, you can do the Video portion and if you can push a button and slide levers back and forth, you can do the Audio portion!

If interested, please contact the office or Bryan Scott! Thank you!



"RENTAL SPACE AVAILABLE"

St. Andrew's United Church reaches out to the Community in many different ways.

Effective immediately we have space available for rent.

Please contact our Church Office to inquire about Rental Space for your Group, Organization or Personal Needs. i.e. Reception, Workshop, Birthday Party, Anniversary Party, Dinner, Meeting etc.

We have a fully equipped, certified Kitchen able to handle any type of event, with a Hall capacity of 120 with tables and chairs or 170 with chairs only.

We offer competitive rates and a variety of rental space options.

"We may have what you are looking for. Give us a call for Rental Rates and Availability".

TICKS - LYME DISEASE

A note from Marlene Spies:

Please be careful of ticks. They are already out and I've had reports and calls about several bites.

Use essential oils like peppermint, lavender, lemon, mixed with some base oil like sweet almond (from bulk barn) or even olive oil to touch pulse points on your body. Tuck pant legs into white socks when walking outside and stay on the path. Ticks usually hang out on longer grass.

Do not try to pull the tick off if you discover one. It might leave mouth pieces behind. Use ice or salt to see if it will let go. (Video link at end of this note.) If you get the tick off, dead or alive, put in a ziplock baggie with moist cotton ball or paper towel wad and double-bag with your name, date of birth and perhaps doctor's name inside. Plus date / place of bite. Take along to your doctor for testing. Insist.

Also insist on a 3 weeks course of antibiotics, Doxycycline, as a preventative measure.

Rinse the bite place with soap and water, apply disinfectant and put a bandaid on. Draw a pen line around. Watch for swelling, and for a rash anywhere on your body.

Remember: although the bulls-eye rash is diagnostic of Lyme disease, only 9-20% of patients ever see such a rash.

Video with removal tricks: straw and cotton method (at 2:05)

Or the beginning shows saline injected just under the skin so the tick gets no blood and lets go.

<https://youtu.be/x9dsmFVPDqs>

I suggest adding ziploc baggies, straw (cut shorter), cotton thread or dental floss, bandaids and polysporin (+ magnifying glass) to your picnic and camping gear. Fine-point tweezers too although they should be used very carefully, close to the skin, not on the body of the tick. You can get peppermint oil from Bulk Barn on Wanless. I prefer that to Deet for daily use for myself.

See size of ticks in various sizes of life. Difficult to spot.



OUR DAILY BREAD BOOKLETS -
FOR JUL/AUG/SEPT 2018 ARE NOW AVAILABLE

Our
Daily
Bread

Please find them on the table by the photocopier.

A donation of \$1 would be appreciated.

STAMPS - WE ARE STILL COLLECTING THEM!



Just a reminder that we are still collecting stamps. A member of **St. Bartholomew's Church** in Brampton who also collects and trims stamps, has offered to trim any stamps that we send her, so please continue to put any stamps that you have in the box on the table opposite the office. In this way, we can still support a worthy cause! Thank you!

COMMUNITY



**Sparrow
Lake Camp**

SPARROW LAKE CAMP (SINCE 1912)

A sleep away camp for children ages 6 to 16

Located just 20 minutes north of Orillia.

More information on their website: www.sparrowlakecamp.com

SAVE THE DATE!

TORONTO UNITED CHURCH COUNCIL'S HEART & VISION

This year's concert will take place on

Monday, October 15, 2018 at Metropolitan United Church

10th Annual Awards Concert



Norval United
Summer
Kids Program

2018 Day Camps:

Norval Summer Day Camp Dates - Registration is now open for Summer Day Camps at Norval United Church.

Pick up a registration form online at www.norvalunited.ca/summerdaycamps . We are also seeking applications for our Summer Program Director Positions, Camp Counselors and Volunteers.

Programs For children: Gr. K-6

Fantastic Fun Fridays (July 6, 13, 20 2018)

Week 1: Going Green (July 23-27 2018)

Week 3: Fun Makers (August 7-10 2018)

Week 4: Creating Rainbows (August 13-17 2018)

Week 5: We've Got Talent (August 20-24 2018)

*Subsidies easily available to families as needed

The Salvation Army Community Church:

SPORTZ PLUS SPORTS CAMP

- Soccer, Basketball and Ball Hockey

August 20-24 at 9:00 am to 3:00 pm Ages: 6-13 Cost: \$140

Register at www.georgetowncommunitychurch.ca



OUR CHURCH VISION

Growing In Faith Together
actively serving
Our God
Our Church Family
Our Community

Week-at-a-Glance

Friday, August 10th, 2018

9:30 am Circle of Friends

Sunday, August 12th, 2018

10:00 am Worship
 After service VBS Wrap up Meeting
 6:30 pm Summer Movie Night

Tuesday, August 14th 2018

1:00 pm Coffee House

Wednesday, August 15th, 2018

7:00 pm Baseball at Conservation Red

Sunday, August 19th, 2018

10:00 am Worship
 led by Bri-Anne Swan
 6:30 pm Summer Movie Night

Humour Corner



A pastor places his order at the pet store: "I need at least 50 mice, 2000 ants and as many of those little silverfish you can get." The clerk replies, "We can probably do that, but it might take some time. Mind if I ask why you are placing such an unusual order?" The pastor replies, "I've accepted a call to another church and the congregation council told me to leave the parsonage the way I found it."

<http://javacasa.com/humor/pastor.htm>

Have a Nice Day!

STAYING CONNECTED TO ST. ANDREW'S ONLINE!

St. Andrew's has a Facebook site at:

www.facebook.com/StAndrewsUnitedGeorgetown.

On the site you will find news about upcoming events, pictures, videos and daily devotionals.

Please "like" our site! Check it out!

You can also follow us on twitter @SaintAndrewsUC to read late breaking news.

Our Website at www.standrewsuc.ca includes lots of information about St. Andrew's programs, events and ministries.



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Next Week Office Hours:

Friday, August 17th, 8:30 am to 3:30 pm

Minister's Hours:
by Appointment

Rev. Grant Williams:
standrewsminister@cogeco.ca

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If you would like to publicize an event, please send it in the body of an e-mail (not as an attachment) to:

standrewsoffice@cogeco.ca by **TUESDAY** at noon **during the summer**.

For further information, contact our secretary, Margaret Yahiro, or our Minister, Rev. Grant Williams, at 905-877-4482.